


FORM PTO-1390 (Modified) U.S. PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE; U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE (REV. 2-2005)		ATTORNEY'S DOCKET NUMBER <b>MIPFP179</b>	
<b>TRANSMITTAL LETTER TO THE UNITED STATES</b> <b>DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)</b> <b>CONCERNING A SUBMISSION UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371</b>		U.S. APPLICATION NO. (If known, see 37 CFR 1.5) <div style="font-size: 1.5em; font-weight: bold; text-align: center;">10/550900</div>	
INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO. <b>PCT/JP2004/004474</b>	INTERNATIONAL FILING DATE <b>29 March 2004 (29.03.2004)</b>	PRIORITY DATE CLAIMED <b>27 March 2003 (27.03.2003)</b>	
TITLE OF INVENTION <b>IMAGE OUTPUT CONTROL SYSTEM, IMAGE PROCESSING DEVICE, AND IMAGE PROCESSING METHOD</b>			
APPLICANT(S) FOR DO/EO/US <b>Toshiaki KAKUTANI</b>			
Applicant herewith submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> This is a <b>FIRST</b> submission of items concerning a submission under 35 U.S.C. 371.</li> <li>2. <input type="checkbox"/> This is a <b>SECOND</b> or <b>SUBSEQUENT</b> submission of items concerning a submission under 35 U.S.C. 371.</li> <li>3. <input type="checkbox"/> This is an express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371(f)). The submission must include items (5), (6), (9) and (24) indicated below.</li> <li>4. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The US has been elected (Article 31).</li> <li>5. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(2))             <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a. <input type="checkbox"/> is attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau).</li> <li>b. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> has been communicated by the International Bureau.</li> <li>c. <input type="checkbox"/> is not required, as the application was filed in the United States Receiving Office (RO/US).</li> </ol> </li> <li>6. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> An English language translation of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)).             <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> is attached hereto.</li> <li>b. <input type="checkbox"/> has been previously submitted under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).</li> </ol> </li> <li>7. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(3))             <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a. <input type="checkbox"/> are attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau).</li> <li>b. <input type="checkbox"/> have been communicated by the International Bureau.</li> <li>c. <input type="checkbox"/> have not been made; however, the time limit for making such amendments has NOT expired.</li> <li>d. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> have not been made and will not be made.</li> </ol> </li> <li>8. <input type="checkbox"/> An English language translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)).</li> <li>9. <input type="checkbox"/> An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(4)).</li> <li>10. <input type="checkbox"/> An English language translation of the annexes to the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36 (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(5)).</li> <li>11. <input type="checkbox"/> A copy of the International Preliminary Examination Report (PCT/IPEA/409).</li> <li>12. <input type="checkbox"/> A copy of the International Search Report (PCT/ISA/210).</li> </ol> <p><b>Items 13 to 23 below concern document(s) or information included:</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>13. <input type="checkbox"/> An Information Disclosure Statement under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98.</li> <li>14. <input type="checkbox"/> An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included.</li> <li>15. <input type="checkbox"/> A <b>FIRST</b> preliminary amendment.</li> <li>16. <input type="checkbox"/> A <b>SECOND</b> or <b>SUBSEQUENT</b> preliminary amendment.</li> <li>17. <input type="checkbox"/> A substitute specification.</li> <li>18. <input type="checkbox"/> A power of attorney and/or change of address letter.</li> <li>19. <input type="checkbox"/> A computer-readable form of the sequence listing in accordance with PCT Rule 13ter.2 and 37 CFR 1.821 - 1.825.</li> <li>20. <input type="checkbox"/> A second copy of the published International Application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).</li> <li>21. <input type="checkbox"/> A second copy of the English language translation of the International Application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).</li> <li>22. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Express Mail Label No. <b>EV643650557US</b></li> <li>23. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other items or information:  <div style="margin-left: 20px;">Transmittal, Check, Return Receipt Postcard</div> </li> </ol>			

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The following fees are submitted:				<b>CALCULATIONS</b>	<b>PTO USE</b>	
24. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Basic national fee ..... \$300				\$ 300.00		
25. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Examination fee If International preliminary examination report prepared by USPTO and all claims satisfy provisions of PCT Article 33(1)-(4). ..... \$100 All other situations. .... \$200				\$ 200.00		
26. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Search fee ..... Search fee (37 CFR 1.445(a)(2)) has been paid on the international application to the USPTO as an International Searching Authority ..... \$100 International Search Report prepared and provided to the Office ..... \$400 All other situations. .... \$500				\$ 500.00		
<b>TOTAL OF 24, 25 and 26 =</b>				\$ 1,000.00		
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Additional fee for specification and drawings filed in paper over 100 sheets (excluding sequence listing or computer program listing filed in an electronic medium). The fee is \$250 for each additional 50 sheets of paper or fraction thereof.						
Total Sheets	Extra Sheets	Number of each additional 50 or fraction thereof (round up to a whole)	RATE			
111 - 100 =	11 /50 =	1	x \$250.00	\$ 250.00		
Surcharge of \$130.00 for furnishing the oath or declaration later than months from the earliest claimed priority date (37 CFR 1.492(e)).				\$		
CLAIMS	NUMBER FILED	NUMBER EXTRA	RATE			
Total claims	31 - 20 =	11	x \$50.00	\$ 550.00		
Independent claims	8 - 3 =	5	x \$200.00	\$ 1,000.00		
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIMS (if applicable) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> + \$360.00				\$ 360.00		
<b>TOTAL OF ABOVE CALCULATIONS =</b>				\$ 3,160.00		
<input type="checkbox"/> Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. The fees indicated above are reduced by 1/2.				\$ 0.00		
<b>SUBTOTAL =</b>				\$ 3,160.00		
Processing fee of \$130.00 for furnishing the English translation later than 30 months from the earliest claimed priority date (37 CFR 1.492(f)).				\$ 0.00		
<b>TOTAL NATIONAL FEE =</b>				\$ 3,160.00		
Fee for recording the enclosed assignment (37 CFR 1.21(h)). The assignment must be accompanied by an appropriate cover sheet (37 CFR 3.28, 3.31). \$40 per property +				\$ 0.00		
<b>TOTAL FEES ENCLOSED =</b>				\$ 3,160.00		
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a. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A check in the amount of \$ <u>3,160.00</u> to cover the above fees is enclosed.						
b. <input type="checkbox"/> Please charge my Deposit Account No. _____ in the amount of _____ to cover the above fees. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.						
c. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The Director is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. <u>50-0805/MIPFP179</u> . A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.						
d. <input type="checkbox"/> Fees are to be charged to a credit card. <b>WARNING:</b> Information on this form may become public. <b>Credit card information should not be included on this form.</b> Provide credit card information and authorization on PTO-2038.						
<b>NOTE: Where an appropriate time limit under 37 CFR 1.495 has not been met, a petition to revive (37 CFR 1.137(a) or (b)) must be filed and granted to restore the International Application to pending status.</b>						
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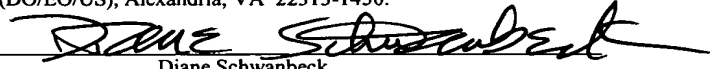
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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the application of	)	
	)	Examiner: Unassigned
Toshiaki KAKUTANI	)	
	)	Art Unit: Unassigned
Application No. [to be assigned]	)	
	)	Docket No. MIPFP179
International Filing Date: March 29, 2004	)	
	)	Date: September 27, 2005
For: IMAGE OUTPUT CONTROL SYSTEM,	)	
IMAGE PROCESSING DEVICE, AND	)	
<u>IMAGE PROCESSING METHOD</u>	)	

**CERTIFICATE OF EXPRESS MAILING**

I hereby certify that this paper and the documents and/or fees referred to as attached herein are being deposited with the United States Postal Service on September 27, 2005 in an envelope as "Express Mail Post Office to Addressee" service under 37 CFR § 1.10, Mailing Label Number EV643650557US, addressed to the Commissioner for Patents, Box PCT, Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US), Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

  
Diane Schwanbeck

**TRANSMITTAL OF DOCUMENTS FOR FILING UNDER 35 U.S.C. § 371**

Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US)  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicant hereby transmits the following documents for the above-identified patent application:

1. Transmittal Letter to the United States Designated/Elected Office;
2. English Translation of as-filed international application; and
3. A check in the amount of \$3,160.00.

Applicant believes that no further fees are due in connection with the filing of the above-listed documents. However, if it is determined that any fees are due, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge such fees to Deposit Account No. 50-0805 (Order No. MIPFP179).

Respectfully submitted,  
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